

LOCAL NEWS EVENTS OF THE PAST WEEK AS DEPICTED BY PARSONS



Warned by the symptoms, the nervous ones seek seclusion and quiet.

The Glorious 4th celebrated in unusual manner with no serious accidents.

The "Cream of Wheat smile" is in evidence among the darker one-fifth picture crusade.

A real rain, containing some moisture, falls on Topeka.

Dan Anthony opens his congressional campaign.

Sport North closes a successful theatrical season in Topeka.

AT OSAWATOMIE.

Plans Fast Maturing For Colonel Roosevelt's Visit.

Two Troops Leavenworth Cavalry Will Take Part.

THE KANSAS G. A. R.

State Commander Urges War Veterans to Come.

Date Now Definitely Fixed For August 31.

Oswatome, Kan., July 9.—Plans built upon an elaborate scale are fast maturing for the big celebration on August 31, when Theodore Roosevelt comes here to make the principal speech at the dedication of the "Oswatomeie battlefield."

Two troops of the Fifteenth cavalry from Fort Leavenworth and an infantry band from Fort Riley will assist at the dedication. Two companies of the state militia will be present and the organization of the Spanish-American war veterans of Kansas City, Kan., will be asked to act as Roosevelt's personal escort.

Nathan E. Harmon, department commander of the G. A. R. in Kansas, has issued a rousing order to the veterans of the civil war, urging them, as well as members of all affiliated organizations, to be present.

"The exercises," reads the call, "will include speeches by the most distinguished and popular personages of the world, most notable of them being ex-President Colonel Theodore Roosevelt, who will make his first speech since his return from Europe. It will be a rare and glorious privilege to hear this world-renowned statesman speak and no one can afford to miss this opportunity."

Luke F. Parsons, of Salina, the sole survivor of the battle, will be here.

HER DREAM CAME TRUE.

Baseball Player's Wife Admires Husband About Accidents.

Hutchinson, Kan., July 9.—"I dreamed last night you injured yourself. Be careful and don't go after any hard balls you think you can't get."

That was the letter "Chick" Edmiston, ball player, received yesterday morning from his wife in St. Louis. "I won't. Just broke my leg," is what Edmiston wired in answer last night.

Edmiston, Hutchinson's fast shortstop, is being "looked over" by three major league teams, largely for his dashing style. In sliding to second yesterday a bone in his right ankle was broken. It may cripple him the remainder of the season.

MISSOURI POULTRY SHOW.

Will Be Opened at Convention Hall, Kansas City, November 29.

Kansas City, Mo., July 9.—Arrangements are being made by the Missouri state poultry board for the annual poultry show in Convention hall this fall. T. E. Quisenberry of Columbia, secretary and treasurer of the board, has written J. A. Runyan, industrial commissioner of the Commercial club, concerning it. Mr. Quisenberry says the show will be held November 29 to December 3.

OSBORNE HAS GOOD RAIN.

Last Tuesday Mercury Registered 100 in the Shade.

Osborne, Kan., July 9.—That part of the country in Osborne county which was not already saved, which means principally the corn crop, was rescued Tuesday night by a fine rain. In Osborne the fall amounted to three-quarters of an inch. It was pretty

confronting anyone in need of a laxative is not a question of a single action only, but of permanently beneficial effects, which will follow proper efforts to live in a healthy way, with the assistance of Syrup of Figs and Elixir of Senna, whenever it is required, as it cleanses the system gently yet promptly, without irritation and will therefore always have the preference of all who wish the best of family laxatives.

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PORT LEAVENWORTH SHOOT.

Osborne Will Send a Squad Who Made Required Points.

Osborne, Kan., July 9.—The squad of men eligible to take part in the shoot at Port Leavenworth has increased considerably in Company G. Those who have made the required 345 points in the past week are Captain S. W. Wooley, Lieutenant Chas. Mills, Privates Henry Burns, Harry D. Taylor and Oliver P. Taylor. Captain Wooley and Lieutenants Mills and

TESTING THE FISH LAW.

Mr. Lalage Claims He Has Right to Fish on His Own Land.

Cottonwood Falls, Kan., July 9.—A trial for violation of the game law was held here today. The trial attracted more than ordinary attention for the reason that it is proposed to carry it up to the highest court possible in order to get a decision on the constitutionality of the law.

The arrest was made and suit brought by mutual consent or agreement of the deputy fish and game warden, Clarence Riggs, and the party arrested, Pete Lalage, both of Cedar Point. The farmers are backing Mr. Lalage, as they hold that they have a right to fish on their own grounds for their own use in any manner they see fit. There has been much dissatisfaction expressed in this county with the law and the way it is administered.

HALF INCH RAIN IN CHASE.

Temperature Dropped 31 Degrees in Two Hours at Cottonwood Falls.

Cottonwood Falls, Kan., July 9.—At 6 o'clock last evening the drought here was broken by a splendid rain of about one-half inch. The rain was accompanied by a drop in the temperature of 31 degrees inside of two hours, the warmest welcome, as the day was the hottest yet reported for this year.

The rain was pretty general over the county, although not so heavy in the west part.

Crops are in fine condition, and although the corn had a poor start in the spring, it is now practically all laid by and promises a fine crop. The pastures are in good condition and stock doing fine. This county will have a good crop of peaches and more than a half crop of apples.

KANSAS VOLUNTEER FIREMEN.

Annual Tournament Will Be Held at Eureka in September.

Junction City, Kan., July 9.—The executive committee of the Kansas State Volunteer Firemen's association held a meeting here and named Eureka as the place where the annual tournament is to be held this year. An elaborate program was arranged for the three days of the tournament, from September 20 to 23. Prizes aggregating \$1,100 will be given for the eleven contests that have been arranged. The following members of the executive committee were in attendance: E. Shymister, President; C. N. Baker, Wamego; W. R. Dennis, Eureka; and William Bush, Junction City.

WHO CONTROLS THE PARKS?

Kansas City, Kansas, Wants Ruling From Supreme Court.

Kansas City, Kan., July 9.—Attorneys for the city commissioners and the park board in Kansas City, Kan., have asked the Kansas supreme court to advance to a hearing in October the suit that is to decide whether the parks and boulevards in Kansas City, Kan., shall be under the supervision of the commissioners, or whether they shall continue under the control of the park board. A stipulation that has been sent Topeka provides that the work of the park board now under way shall continue without interruption while the suit is pending.

OTTAWA AFTER PICTURE MEN.

City Council Will Prepare Ordinance Against Producing Fight Films.

Ottawa, Kan., July 9.—At a meeting of the city council held here, City Attorney F. A. Waddle was ordered to prepare an ordinance forbidding the production of the Jeffries-Johnson fight pictures in this city. The measure will be up for passage at the next meeting, July 20.—The officers were ordered to arrest any person attempting to show the pictures prior to the hearing of the ordinance.

MANGLED BY RUNAWAY TEAM.

Boy Falls Into Harvesting Machine and Dies From Injuries.

Winfield, Kan., July 9.—Torn and mangled by a runaway harvesting machine, Edgar Sharkey, a 12-year-old boy, died here Thursday afternoon. He was riding the lead horse and fell in front of the cutter bar. He lived only a few hours. He is a son of C. A. Sharkey, who recently moved here from Kansas City.

WICHITA LETTER CARRIERS.

Thirteen of the Forty-Two Get Raise of \$100 a Year.

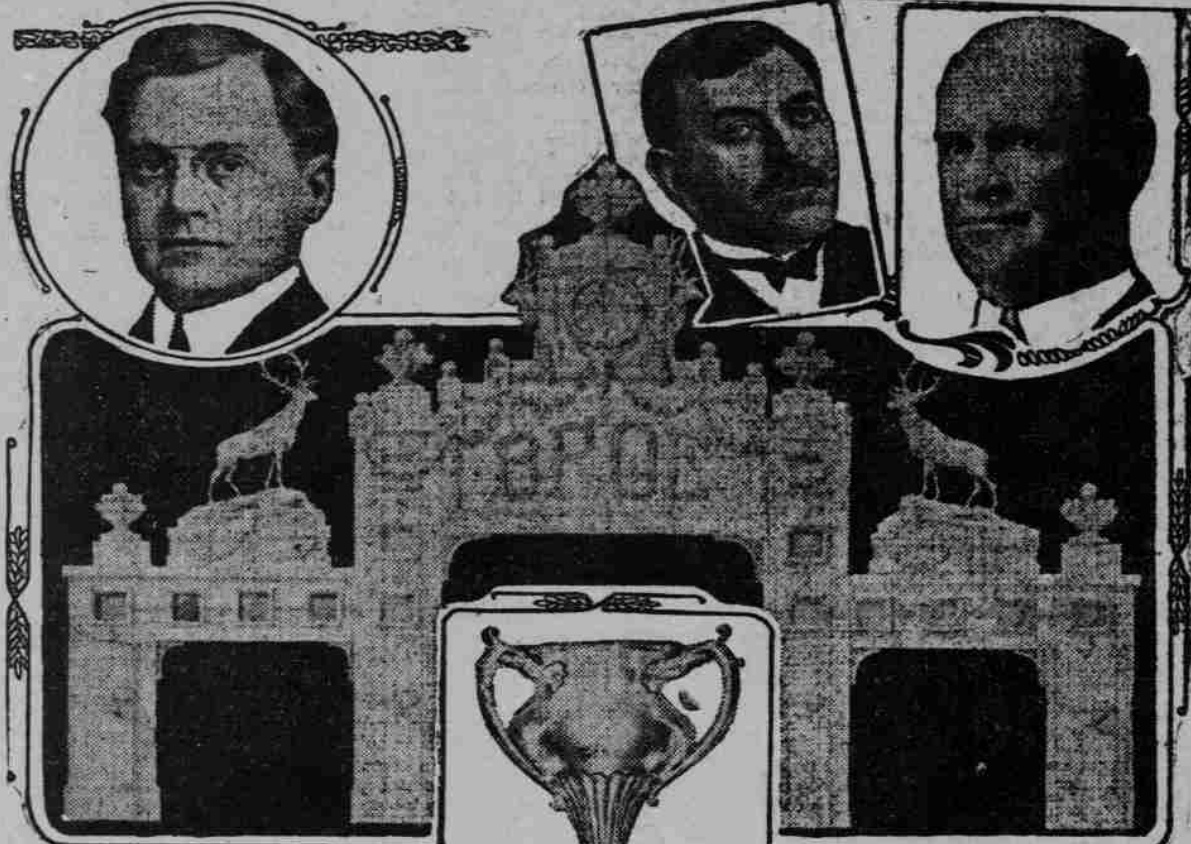
Wichita, Kan., July 9.—Thirteen letter carriers of the Wichita postoffice are happier today because each of them has received an increase in salary amounting to \$100 a year. There are forty-two carriers in Postmaster Edwards's distributing force and one-fourth of them were given advance salaries, beginning July 1. Several more than thirteen carriers were entitled to the advance but only so many can be given the increase every year.

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DETROIT MAKING GREAT PREPARATIONS FOR ELKS CONVENTION



Detroit, July 9.—Never before has Detroit made such preparations to entertain and care for any gathering of visitors as it has for the grand lodge and reunion of the Benevolent and Protective Order of Elks to be held here July 11 to 16. The Elks will own Detroit that week. They will have no rivals. The city is theirs to do as they want.

Already the city is a mass of flags and banners in the lodge colors, purple and white. From every business place and nearly every residence, the Elks lead in relief or the pennants are

Taylor will leave Saturday night for Leavenworth to attend the school of instruction for officers. The balance of the boys will leave Sunday, July 17.

WHEAT A WEEK EARLY.

Several Loads Brought to Salina Which Tested 61 Pounds.

Salina, Kan., July 9.—The threshing of the new wheat is just getting under headway and several loads of wheat have already been received at the local mill. Wheat is bringing 85 cents today and a good crop is expected.

The first load of wheat to be received by the Lee-Warner mill was brought in by Chas. L. Ross, who has the Weisberger farm west of town. His wheat tested 61 pounds to the bushel and will run about 20 bushels to the acre. The first wheat received by this mill last year came in on July 13 and tested 59 pounds. At that time wheat was selling at one dollar.

WHEAT CROP GARNERED.

Mitchell County Will Now Look After Alfalfa Crop.

Beloit, Kan., July 9.—The wheat harvest is nearly finished as far as Mitchell county is concerned and Saturday night should see about all the 1910 crop off the ground. Alfalfa is about ready for another cutting and the wheat will be out of the way just in time to care for the alfalfa crop.

THIS MAN IS A FARMER.

Al Mincer's Oats Crop Will Go To 100 Bushels to Acre.

Sterling, Kan., July 9.—Al Mincer is cutting a 50-acre piece of oats this week which is as pretty as a picture. It is on his place southwest of Sterling. It stands very heavy on the ground and six horses are required to

pull the binder. In some places not more than half a swath can be cut. The estimates on the yield run from 70 to 100 bushels per acre. Mr. Mincer says he finds oats one of the most profitable crops he can grow.

Last year he got 200 bushels from 30 acres, which netted him 60 cents per bushel. The price of land on which his present crop has grown was heavily manured, which accounts for the good yield. Mr. Mincer is building up his farm and putting it in first class shape.

WESTERN KANSAS IRRIGATION

Manhattan College Will Have Man to Look After It.

Manhattan, Kan., July 9.—The agricultural college a year ago added to the staff of the extension department a highway engineer to give advice in the matter of roads and bridges, and he has since last September visited farmers' institutes in more than thirty counties and has furnished bridge and road plans for the commissioners of more than twenty counties.

WAITING ON CROPS.

Business and Industries Are Reported Generally Quiet.

New York, July 9.—Bradstreet's says: Wholesale trade and the industries are quiet as a whole, the result partly of midsummer and holiday influences and also because of the desire of buyers to await more definite information as to crop outcome. Retail trade, on the other hand, has been rather more active, but up to expectations. Low water in northwest streams is responsible for less doing in the output of lumber. Collections feel the influence of quiet trade in reports of only fair payments.

Business failures in the United States for the week ending July 7 were 182 against 196 last week, 182 in the like week of 1909, 346 in 1908, 185 in 1907 and 143 in 1906.

Business failures in Canada for the week number 16, as against 27 last week and 27 in the corresponding week of 1909.

Dun's Review.

R. G. Dun & Co.'s Weekly Review of Trade says:

From several of the important trade centers very satisfactory reports as to general business are received, but on the other hand there is an entire lack of buoyancy in several of the important industries. All of the markets now pivot on the crop reports. Conditions in iron and steel are to be expected at this season. The reduction in the output of pig iron since February is placed at 15 per cent. Production of pig iron during the first half of the year established a new high record, however, but stocks have accumulated at many points. Middlemen in the Pittsburgh district hold the opinion that by the middle of the third quarter there will be considerable business.

The output of plates and structural

decorations will be the arches built in various parts of the business district. These go completely across the streets with driveways on either side and passage for trolleys in the center. Groups of Elks surround each.

Upper left, James U. Sammis, exalted ruler R. O. E.; center, Mayor Bratmyer, who has been active in arranging preliminary details for the reception of the Elks; at right, Dan McArren of Port Huron, Mich., one of the candidates for the office of grand secretary.

heavy. Tin plate continues firm, but shading is being done in sheets, cuts being reported of as much as \$4 per ton in galvanized and black sheets. Extensive curtailment of production, amounting in many instances to the complete closing of large plants in noted textile lines. The demand for merchandise at first hands is very limited. Spring lines in cotton are attracting more attention and underwear and hosiery houses are doing a better business. In woolen goods buying so far is on limited scale, many agents endeavoring to postpone an opening to enable buyers to dispose of stocks on hand.

Bank Clearings.

Bradstreet's bank clearings report for the week ending July 7 shows an aggregate of \$3,741,000 as against \$3,797,334,000 last week and \$3,001,000 in the corresponding week last year. The following is a list of the cities:

Cities	Amount	Pct.	Pct. Dec.
New York	\$2,026,000	10.0	...
San Francisco	1,000,000	10.0	...
Boston	1,000,000	10.0	...
Philadelphia	1,000,000	10.0	...
St. Louis	1,000,000	10.0	...
Kansas City	1,000,000	10.0	...
Pittsburgh	1,000,000	10.0	...
San Francisco	1,000,000	10.0	...
Baltimore	1,000,000	10.0	...
Cincinnati	1,000,000	10.0	...
Minneapolis	1,000,000	10.0	...
New Orleans	1,000,000	10.0	...
Cleveland	1,000,000	10.0	...
Detroit	1,000,000	10.0	...
Omaha	1,000,000	10.0	...
Los Angeles	1,000,000	10.0	...
Louisville	1,000,000	10.0	...
Milwaukee	1,000,000	10.0	...
St. Paul	1,000,000	10.0	...
Denver	1,000,000	10.0	...
St. Joseph	1,000,000	10.0	...
Des Moines	1,000,000	10.0	...
St. Louis	1,000,000	10.0	...
Wichita	1,000,000	10.0	...
Oklahoma	1,000,000	10.0	...
Little Rock	1,000,000	10.0	...
Lincoln	1,000,000	10.0	...
TOPEKA	1,000,000	10.0	...
Houston	1,000,000	10.0	...
Galveston	1,000,000	10.0	...

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BUSY LIFE MAPPED OUT.

What Robert Dyrenforth Must Do to Win a Fortune.

Washington, July 9.—Robert St. George Dyrenforth, the 8-year-old foster son of Robert G. Dyrenforth, former commissioner of patents, faces a busy life with high rewards, the latter his, if he qualifies. The lad is the sole heir of his foster father. The latter's will in which the value of the estate is not given, filed for probate, provides "these conditions for Robert if he would inherit the estate when he reached 23."

He is to be graduated from a public high school by the time he is 14. He is to take a full course at Harvard and win a degree before he is 18. This is to be followed by six months' study at law at Oxford. Then he must return to the United States, be graduated from West Point, and after holding a commission in the army resign, "be thoroughly educated in the law" and begin his practice.

His vacations are to be spent traveling through France, Spain, Italy, Greece, Germany, Denmark and Russia, in the order named.

He is not to become a Catholic; he is to learn manual training, dancing, music and to be a woman.

Robert will have the income of the estate until he becomes 23 when it is his absolutely. Should he die, or fail to meet the will's obligations, the estate reverts to William H. Dyrenforth, Harold Dyrenforth and Robert Collins Dyrenforth, all of Chicago.

CLOSE THE OPEN DOOR.

An Ominous Feature of Chinese Question Affecting America.

Berlin, July 9.—The liveliest interest is felt in official circles regarding the Russo-Japanese agreement, the text of which has not been forwarded to the German government. The maintenance of the status quo which the agreement is ostensibly intended to secure is considered most desirable.

The most delicate point in the agreement refers, according to the semi-official press, to the question of the understanding to act mutually on the defensive against the intervention by any third power in Manchuria, which still belongs to China. The agreement, therefore, ca not be directed against China.

It is pointed out that America obtained from China a concession for the Aigun-Chinchow railroad and the question is now raised here whether the agreement is intended to oppose America's unwelcome intrusion in the Russo-Japanese sphere of influence. If so, the agreement is taken to mean the closing of the open door.

MRS. GOULD TO WED.

Frank's Divorced Wife Will Marry Asst. Treasurer of Sugar Trust.